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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 038788.53188US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Hiroyuki HYAKUTAKE and Toshiya MONDEN

entitled: **COATED GLASS FIBERS FOR REINFORCING RUBBER**


Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 13 claims (pages 17).
2. 1 Sheet of X Formal Informal drawings showing Figs. 1 & 2.
3. Application Data Sheet
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document Nos. 2003-013108 and 2003-406069, filed in Japan on January 22, 2003 and December 4, 2003, respectively.
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee					\$385/770	= \$770.00
Total Claims	<u>13</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x \$9/18 = \$0.00
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u>	x \$43/86 = \$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented					\$140/280	= \$0.00
Total Filing Fee						<u>\$770.00</u>

The filing fee is being deferred.

Respectfully submitted,



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